

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as shown below. The claims, as pending in the subject application, read as follows:

1. to 18. (Canceled)

19. (Previously Presented) A server for providing a document via a network, comprising:

receiving means for receiving characteristics related to a user terminal;

determining means for determining an order for adapting documents for outputting the documents according to a frequency of access to the documents;

adapting means for adapting for output, in accordance with the characteristics related to the user terminal, the documents in said determined order before receiving a request for access to a document;

reading means for reading out an adapted document upon reception of a request for access to said document; and

sending means for sending the document read out to the user terminal.

20. (Previously Presented) A server according to Claim 19, wherein said adapting means adapts for output documents in which the frequency of access is higher than a threshold.

21. (Previously Presented) A server according to Claim 19, wherein said adapting means adapts for output all the documents situated in the server.

22. (Currently Amended) A server according to Claim 19, wherein the characteristics related to the user terminal are at least one of a screen size, a type of a display, a memory, a capacity of a modem, ~~and a capacity of a software~~ capabilities of the user terminal including a presence or absence of a browser, an image display, an audio file or video sequence reader.

23. (Previously Presented) A method of a server providing a document via a network, comprising the steps of:

receiving by the server characteristics related to a user terminal;

the server determining an order for adapting documents for outputting the documents according to a frequency of access to the documents;

adapting for output, in accordance with the characteristics related to the user terminal, the documents in said determined order before receiving a request for access to a document;

reading out an adapted document upon reception of a request for access to said document; and

sending the document read out to the user terminal.

24. (Previously Presented) A computer readable program, stored on a computer readable medium and readable by a microprocessor, that when implemented by a computer causes the computer to implement the providing method according to claim 23.

25. (Canceled)